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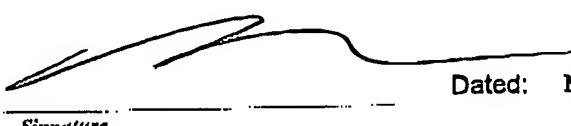
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Figs. 1A, 1B and 1C illustrating a fluid volume sensor;

Fig. 3 illustrating a fluid volume sensor cooperating with a pneumatically or hydraulically driven pump;

Figs. 4A and 4B illustrating a